(f) whether any departmental vigilance/CBI inquiry is pending against any of these persons;

(g) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(h) if not, whether Government propose to institute an inquiry regarding their links with companies?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) to (d) Shri K.C. Kohli of the Indian Cost Accounts Service has been posted to this Department as Deputy Director (Cost) with effect from 19.3.90 vice Shri C.H. Pothiraj, under the orders of the Ministry of Finance.

(e) No, Sir.

(f) to (h) This Department has no Departmental, vigilance or CBI enquiry pending or contemplated against Shri Kohli.

Use of 'hybrid' brand names

2114. SHRI DIPEN GHOSH: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 65 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th April, 1990 and state whether the use of such hybrid brand names would not circumvent or violate the objective of the condition that no foreign brand names will be allowed for domestic sales?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): The use of foreign owned trade mark in conjunction with an Indian trade mark does not contravene either the Trade and Merchandise Marks Act, 1958, or the foreign collaboration approval given by Government in such cases.

Assessment of amounts against M/s. Merind and M/s. Glaxo

2115. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 830 given in the Rajya Sabha on 19th March, 1990 and state:

(a) what are the amounts assessed against M/s. Merind by the Special Team and what was the quantity of bulk drug and formulation and the difference taken into consideration;

(b) what are the amounts assessed against M/s. Glaxo and on what basis and for what period;

(c) what was the difference in the price of bulk drug and formulations which was used to assess this amount; and

(d) when was the process of scrutiny started and by when it would be completed against these two companies?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) A Special Team constituted to determine the recoverable amounts from all the companies (including M/s. Merind) involved in the Supreme Court case, determined some amounts recoverable from M/s. Merind also. A number of representations were received against the findings of the Special Team in all the cases. After taking into consideration these representations, it has been decided to have a fresh look into the findings of the Special Team and the developments thereafter.

(b) and (c) A sum of Rs. 37 crores was tentatively worked out as recoverable from M/s. Glaxo and communicated to the company on 22.9.89. The calculations were based on the available data for the period 12.5.81 to 26.8.87, subject to finalisation on receipt of some more data from the Company.

(d) The process of scrutiny with a view to determine the final amounts due against both the companies is already in progress and the amounts are expected to be finalised soon.

Filling up of vacancies in BWECL, Patna

2116. SHRI S.K.T. RAMACHANDRAN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware